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In re Application of:

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RADIATION-SENSITIVE COMPOSITION CONTAINING A RESOLE RESIN, A NOVOLAC RESIN, AN INFRARED ABSORBER AND A TRIAZINE AND USE THEREOF IN LITHOGRAPHIC PRINTING PLATES

Serial No. US 08/534,135

Filed 26 September 1995 Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.115

In response to the Office Action mailed November 19, 1996, Applicants are submitting herewith an updated Terminal Disclaimer, as requested.

Claims 1-27 have been rejected under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting over the claims of commonly assigned U.S. Patent 5,372,907 (Haley et al). In addition, Claims 1-27 have been similarly rejected over the claims of Haley et al taken with EP 483,693 (Kurata et al).

Each of these rejections is believed to be overcome with the submission of the enclosed Terminal Disclaimer for the present application. This case is now believed to be in condition for allowance. action to that end is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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